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WHAT DO YOU THINK SHAGGY'S UNCLE WANTED WITH US, FRED?

BEATS ME, DAPHNE! HIS NOTE JUST SAID, "COME AT ONCE...URGENT."

HOW LONG SINCE YOU'VE SEEN YOUR UNCLE, SHAG?

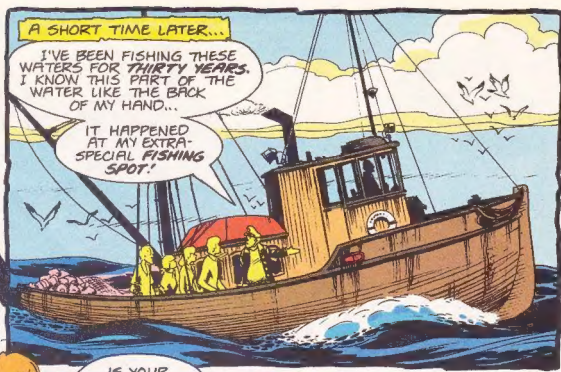
I'VE NEVER MET HIM, VELMA...

MONK EVANIER
DAN SPIEGLE



TELL US ABOUT IT.

I'D RATHER SHOW YOU.





ALBIE AND I...
WE COME OUT HERE
ALMOST EVERY DAY
TO THIS GREAT
FISHING SPOT I
FOUND. ONE
NIGHT...



GETTIN'
DARK, CAP'N.
WE'D BETTER
HEAD IN!

JUST AS SOON
AS I HAUL ALL
MY NETS IN!

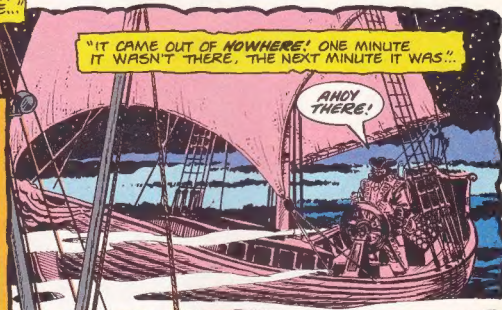
"THEN IT APPROACHED ON THE
STARBOARD SIDE! WE BOTH
SAW IT AT THE SAME TIME..."

YOU SEE
WHAT I SEE,
CAP'N?

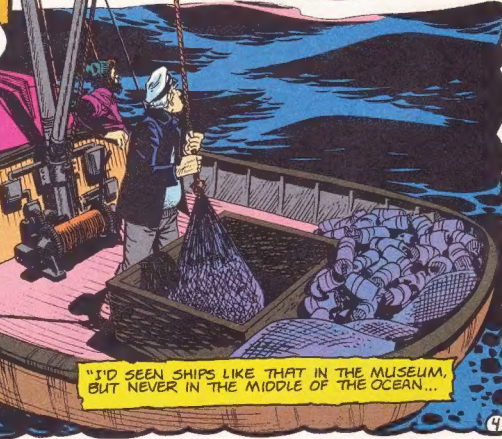


I SEE IT.
BUT I DON'T
BELIEVE IT!

"IT CAME OUT OF NOWHERE! ONE MINUTE
IT WASN'T THERE, THE NEXT MINUTE IT WAS..."



ANDY
THERE!



"I'D SEEN SHIPS LIKE THAT IN THE MUSEUM,
BUT NEVER IN THE MIDDLE OF THE OCEAN..."

"HE LOOKED LIKE HE WAS RIGHT OUT OF A PIRATE MOVIE..."

THESE WATERS BE
THE DOMAIN OF THE
CROSSBONES! YE
NOT BE WELCOME
HERE!

AWK!
NOT WELCOME!
NOT WELCOME!

"IT WAS **FRIGHTENING**,
BUT I HAD TO GET A
BETTER LOOK AT IT!
I WENT FOR MY
SEARCHLAMP..."



"...BUT THE LAMP WAS
BUSTED AND, WHEN I
LOOKED BACK, SHE WAS
GONE!"

"...NOTHIN' BUT SEA AND
SKIES, AS FAR AS THE
EYE COULD SEE!"

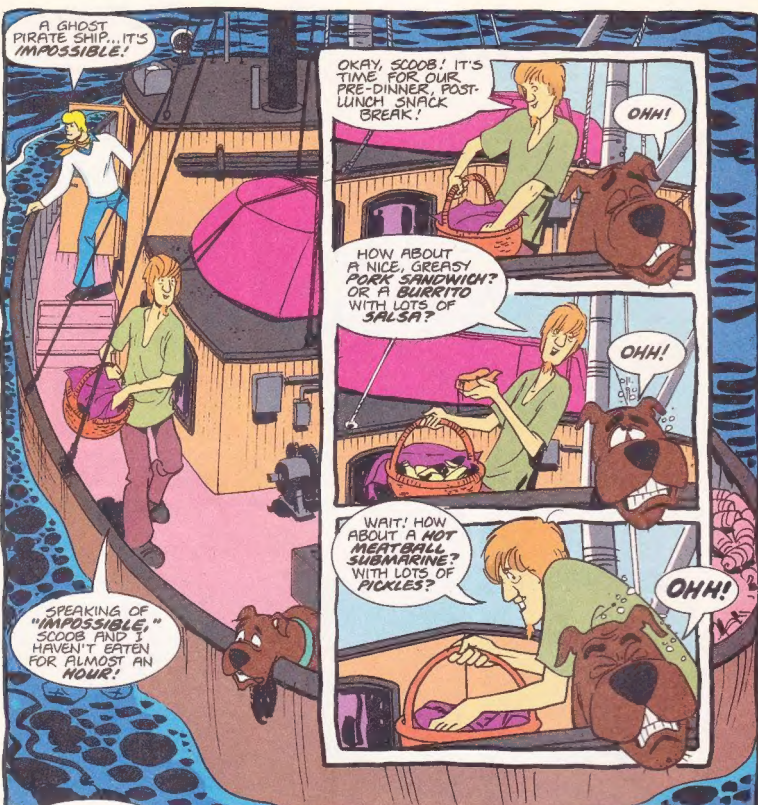
"ALBIE AND I
COULDN'T
BELIEVE IT..."

NO SIGN OF
THEM ON THE **RADAR**,
CAP'N! NOT EVEN A
SLIP!

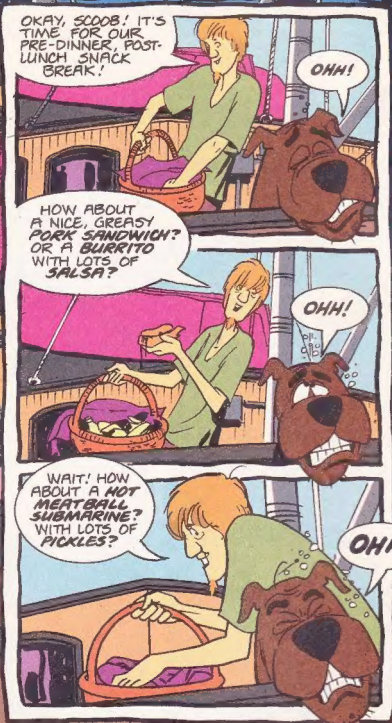
I DON'T
GET IT...

...AND I
STILL DON'T!
ONE SECOND IT
WAS THERE, THE
NEXT...**NOTHIN'!**

WE WENT
BACK TWO MORE
TIMES AND THE
SAME THING
HAPPENED!



A GHOST PIRATE SHIP...IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!



OKAY, SCOOB! IT'S TIME FOR OUR PRE-DINNER, POST-LUNCH SNACK BREAK!

OH!

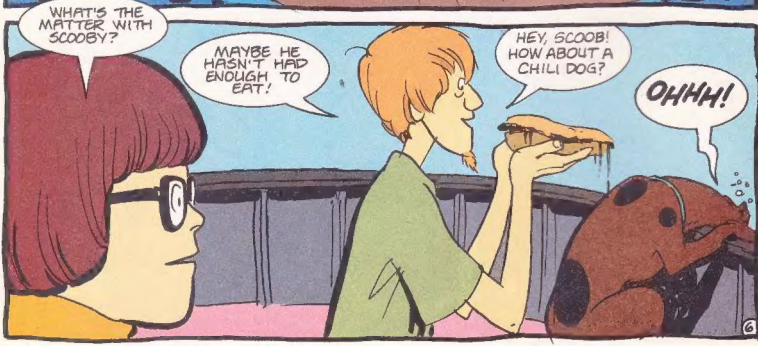
HOW ABOUT A NICE, GREASY PORK SANDWICH? OR A BURRITO WITH LOTS OF SALSA?

OH!

WAIT! HOW ABOUT A HOT MEATBALL SUBMARINE? WITH LOTS OF PICKLES?

OH!

SPEAKING OF "IMPOSSIBLE," SCOOB AND I HAVEN'T EATEN FOR ALMOST AN HOUR!



WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH SCOOPY?

MAYBE HE HASN'T HAD ENOUGH TO EAT!

HEY, SCOOB! HOW ABOUT A CHILI DOG?

OHHH!

Try this
trick
and see
what magic
you can make

A

B



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Color Change Crystals Add Magic You Can Taste

A

Fold this section over left

B

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Dear H-B Comics Mail:

I want to congratulate you for doing the best artwork of Hanna-Barbera classics comics for the past 25 years! My brother Ralph loves it. Keep up the good work, folks!

Nydia Pagan,
Isabella, Puerto Rico

(Nydia, that is very kind of you. Hope you like the stories, too.)

Dear H-B Comic Mail:

I am a very big fan of the Scooby-Doo Show. I have 8 of your comics, including A Pup Named Scooby-Doo. If there's a fan club, I would love to be a member.

Richard Jones, Tallassee, Ala.

(Do any of you out there know anything about a Scooby fan club? Write to us and we'll pass along the information. Glad you liked A Pup Named Scooby-Doo, Richard. Any more feedback on that terrific book?)

Dear H-B Comic Mail:

Recently, at a local comic book convention, I stumbled

upon an issue of Atom Ant and Secret Squirrel and was wondering how I could have missed this when it first appeared half a year ago. Unfortunately, comic shops usually stock nothing but the super-hero hologram covered ilk these days. I found that issue, incidentally, to be quite entertaining and a refreshing homage to those classic characters.

During these times of grim and dreary comics, it seems a perfect time to reintroduce those classic super-heroes like Space Ghost, Birdman, The Herculoids and everybody's favorites---Frankenstein Jr. and The Impossibles!

Tom Fardy,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

(Obviously Tom wrote us before that fantastic issue of Frankenstein Jr. and The Impossibles hit the newsstands. Hope you saw that one, Tom, and grabbed it. Also, please know that the first issue of Space Ghost is due in December, and we are already working on issues of the Herculoids, Mighty Mightor and the Banana Splits! We're sorry it isn't

easier to get these issues at your local comic store. Why don't you folks go to these stores and let them know how much you want them to carry more in stock. Many have told us that their stores were sold out of Frank Jr. in a matter of days. Let them know they ought to order more of them!)

Dear H-B Comic Mail:

I got Hanna-Barbera Presents #5 and I loved it! A Pup Named Scooby-Doo is my favorite Hanna-Barbera cartoon! This issue was so much like the television show, which I'm sorry to say much of the regular Scooby-Doo issues aren't. I did like the Evanier-Spiegle issue, however, and thought that was much closer to the shows. Please make A Pup Named Scooby-Doo a regular series.

Andrew Janet,
Stevenson, MD

(Thanks for being so frank, Andrew, and thanks for loving A Pup Named Scooby. By the way, there will be three Evanier-Spiegle issues, the next one being Scooby #17. We would love to do another issue, or more, of A Pup Named Scooby-Doo, and if enough of you bought that first one, well, who knows.)

Dear H-B Comics Mail:

I have been reading the Flintstones comic and enjoying

it immensely. I love H-B Comics and I can't tell you how much I enjoyed Flintstones #13. Someday I hope to work for Hanna-Barbera. I feel I owe you for all the hours of entertainment you've provided. I think your comics are better than any of the others.

David Bloemendaal,
Albuquerque, N.M.

(Wow! Now that's a compliment. David, may we continue to entertain you and may you have the good fortune someday to work for those wonderful people at Hanna-Barbera!)

Dear H-B Comic Mail:

Recently I was in my local grocery store and saw Hanna-Barbera Presents #7 (Wacky Races). This comic brought me back into the world of Hanna-Barbera and once again I'm hooked. I missed the first six issues of Hanna-Barbera Presents and wondered if I could purchase them from you?

Mike Famileti,
Scottsdale, AZ

(Sorry, Mike, but we can't stock and sell old issues. Your best bet, as always, is to try your local comic store. Thanks for the kind words.)



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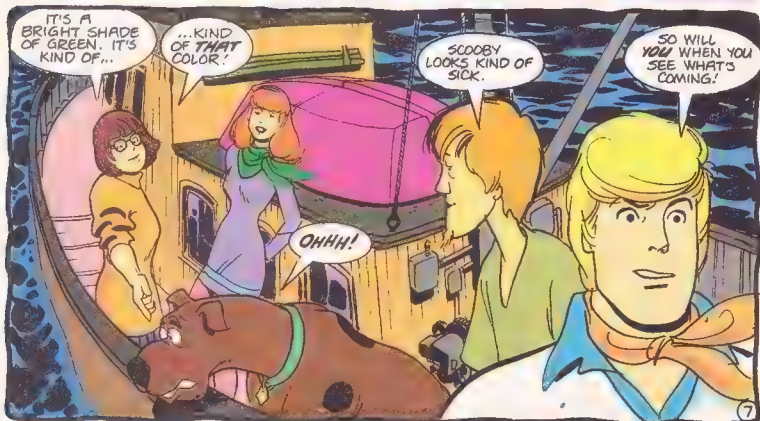
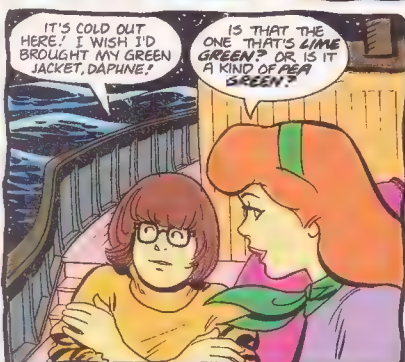
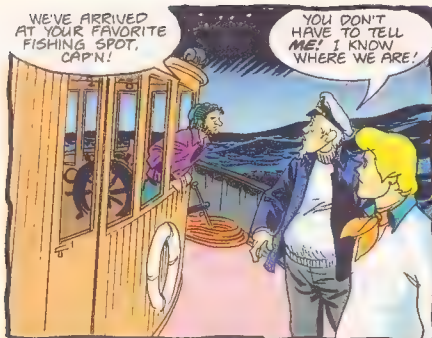
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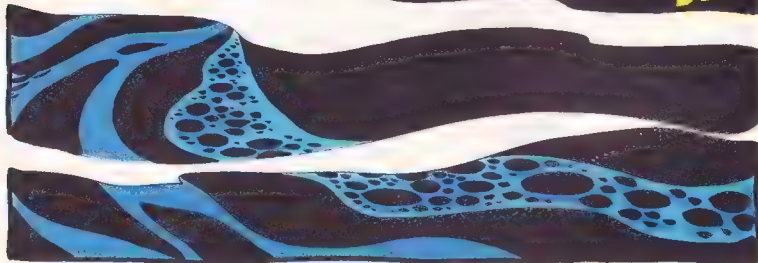
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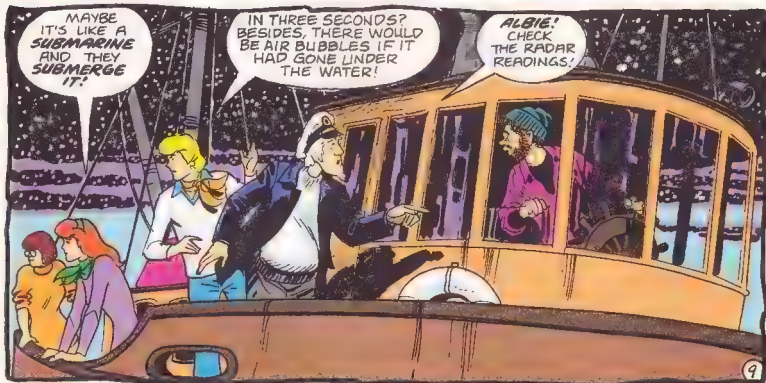
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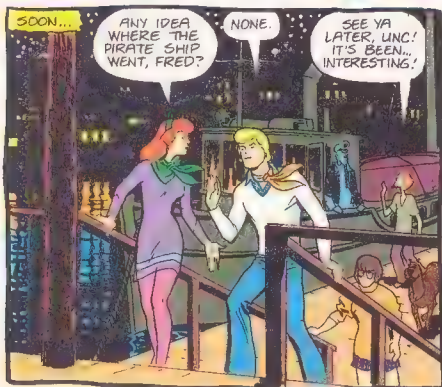
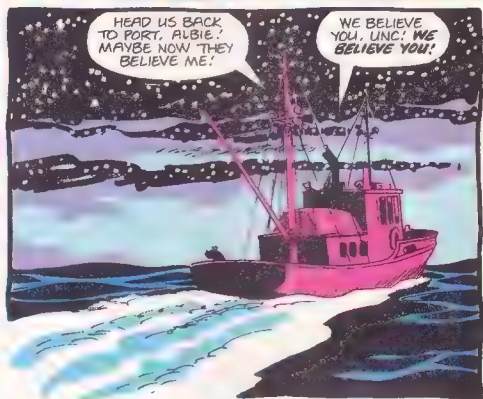
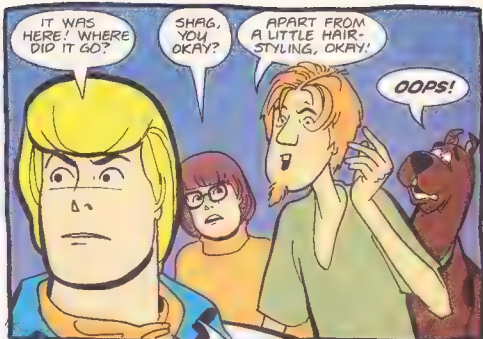
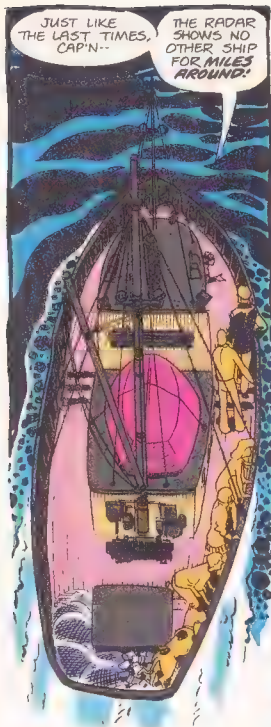
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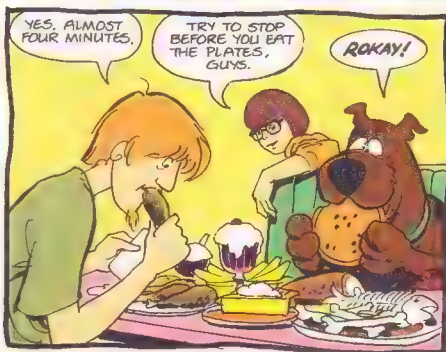
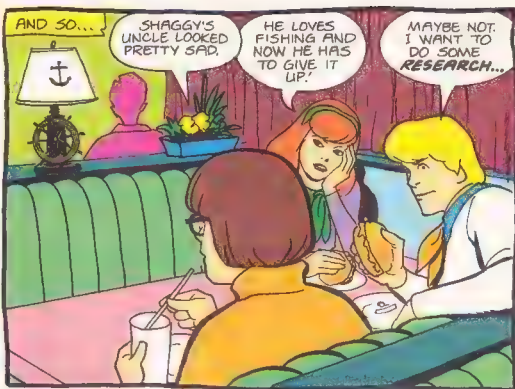
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SPACE GHOST ARRIVES!

The great interplanetary superhero of the Cartoon Network arrives this month! Space Ghost hits the newsstands for the first time in more than thirty years!

This spectacular event inaugurates the new Cartoon Network Comic series that will feature different Cartoon Network superstars every month. Some already slated as part of this series are The Herculoids, the Mighty Mightor and the Banana Splits.

You'd better order Cartoon Network Space Ghost right now! There's lots of press on it already -- and it's sure to be a sellout.

The issue features "The Final Defeat of Space Ghost" as well as the back-up stunner "Trapped by the Time Bot" which also stars Dino Boy. Both stories were written by Hanna-Barbera star creator Bill Matheny with pencils by Scott Rosema, famous for his recent work on Batman, and inks by Scott Awley and Jorge Pacheco.

The issue is topped off by a fabulous painted cover by Rosema fit to be framed. So collectors, beware: this is a major keeper!



MYSTERY MACHINE ON RAMPAGE!



Forget the ghosts, mummies and vampires that Scooby-Doo and company have recently faced. Next month, the teenage detectives must deal with the mystery of their lives -- the incredible rampage of their own Mystery Machine!

The famous vehicle has a mind of its own -- and a mind gone berserk -- as it rages out of control and threatens to ruin the gang's induction into the Mystery Hall of Fame!

Don't miss Scooby-Doo #18 -- it's a fabulous story that comic fans everywhere will be talking about. It's "The Mystery Machine Mystery" -- but can it be solved?

RETURN OF THE GREAT GAZOO!

The Great Gazoo, one of the all-time Flintstones favorites, returns to comics next month in the hilarious issue of The Flintstones #19!

Granting Fred his wish to become super strong, the pipsqueak alien hands Bedrock more trouble than it can hope to deal with. Don't miss this laugh-loaded issue that includes the worst toothache in prehistory as well as Barney Rubble's great new talent for predicting the future.

We predict that you'll have the time of your life!



...new issue of Scooby-

Doo #17 and the grand finale of the Dan Spiegel-Mark Evanier trio of Scooby's. If you liked the previous two, you'll go wild about this fantastic voyage on the high seas on a ship filled with ghosts and pirates. No one could have done this spooky tale like these two supercreators.

Fred and Barney make pre-history this month, in Flintstones #18 as they attend the world's first trading card convention and Barney walks in with one of the most valuable rockball cards of the time. You'll recognize yourself in every panel.

Don't miss the super size Cartoon Network Christmas Spectacular with holiday adventures of all your favorites. Led by Scooby and Shaggy, the list includes The Flintstones, The Jetsons, Magilla Gorilla and many, many more! It's a perfect Christmas Stocking stuffer!



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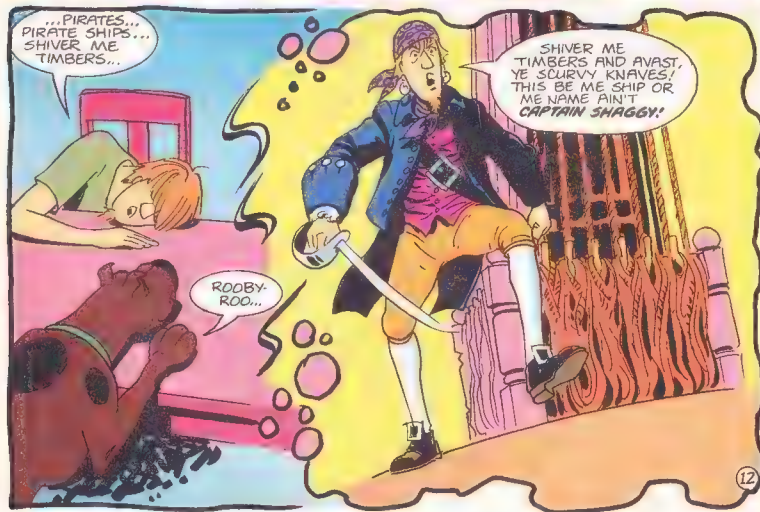
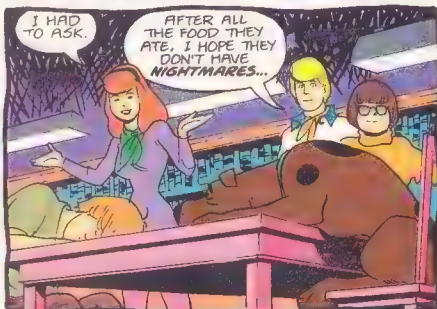
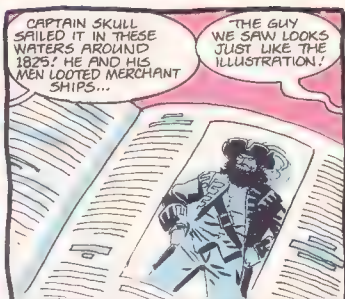
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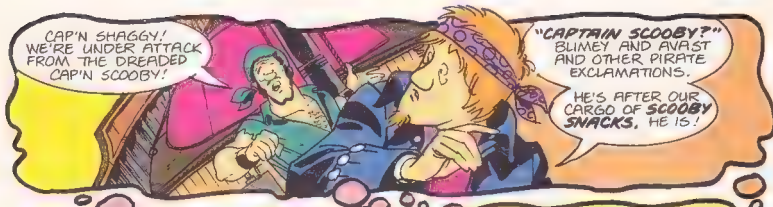
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CAP'N SHAGGY!
WE'RE UNDER ATTACK
FROM THE DREADED
CAP'N SCOOPY!

"CAPTAIN SCOOPY?"
BLIMEY AND AVAST
AND OTHER PIRATE
EXCLAMATIONS.

HE'S AFTER OUR
CARGO OF **SCOOPY
SNACKS**. HE IS!



THERE BE HIS
VESSEL, BUT I
SEE NO SIGN OF
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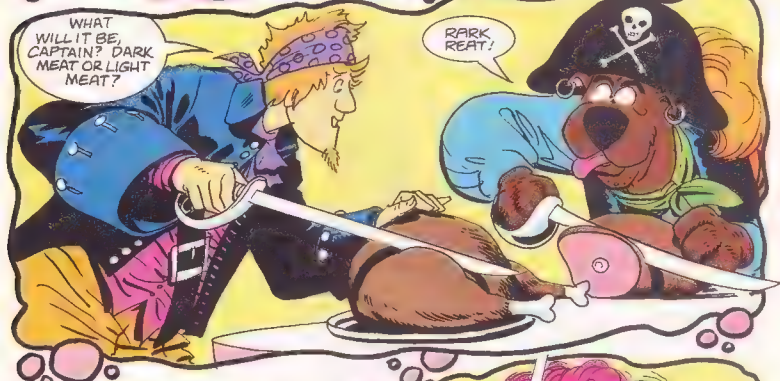
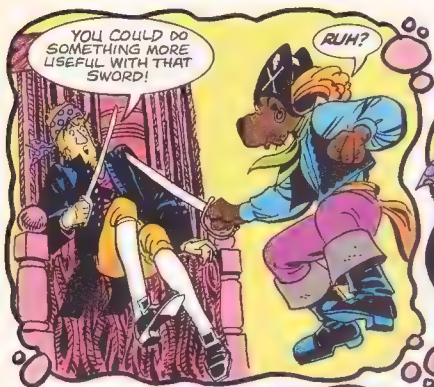
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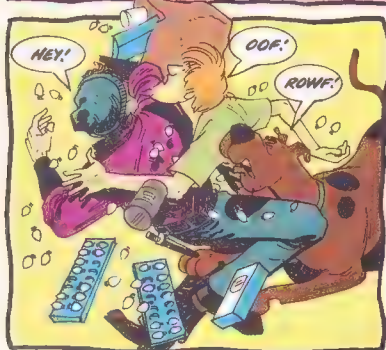


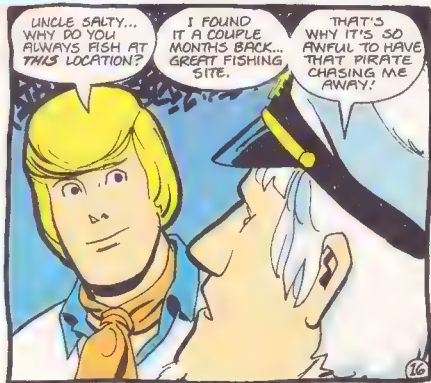
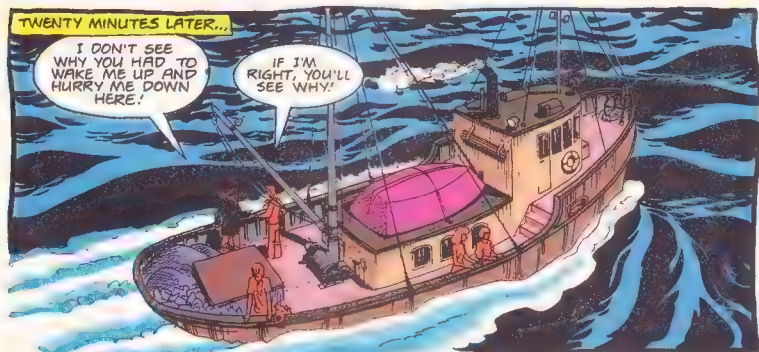
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MAYBE A
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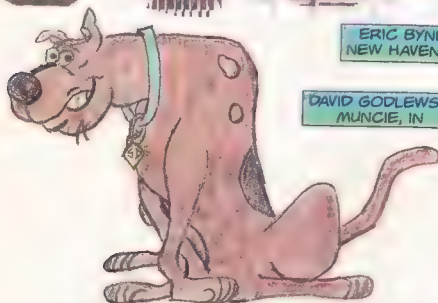
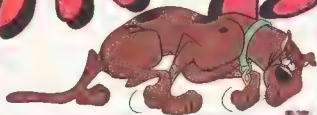




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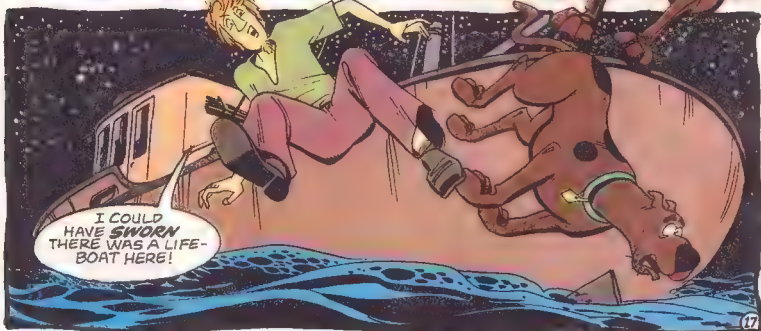
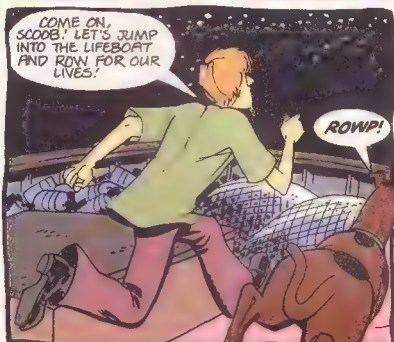
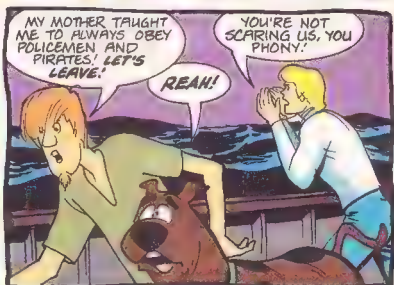


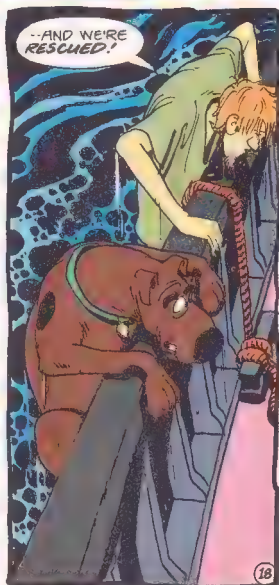
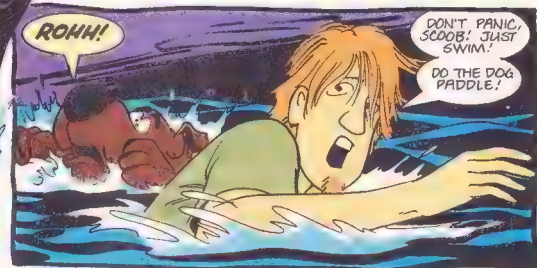
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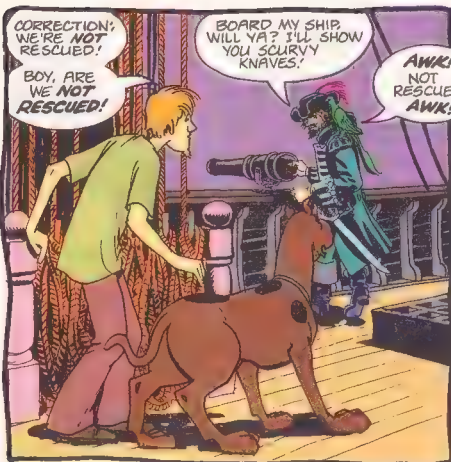


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BOY, ARE
WE **NOT**
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BOARD MY SHIP,
WILL YA? I'LL SHOW
YOU SCURVY
KNAVES!

AWK!
NOT
RESCUED!
AWK!



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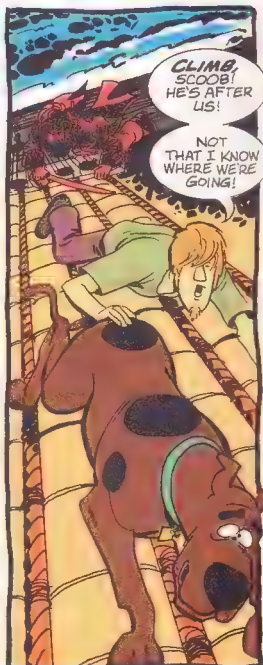
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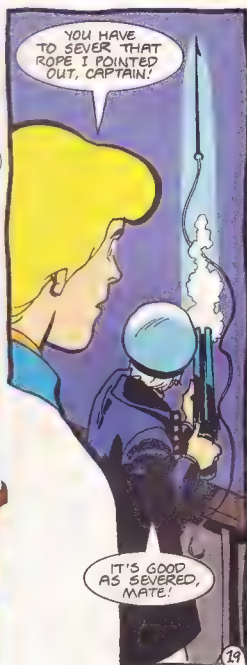
CAPTAIN!
HAVE YOU GOT
SOME KIND OF
HARPOON
GUN?

SURE HAVE!
AND I'M THE BEST
SHOT IN THE
SEVEN SEAS!



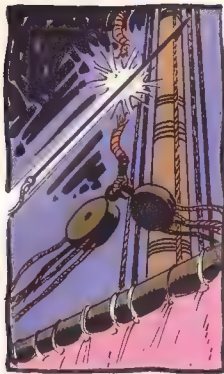
CLIMB,
SCOOB!
HE'S AFTER
US!

NOT
THAT I KNOW
WHERE WE'RE
GOING!



YOU HAVE
TO SEVER THAT
ROPE I POINTED
OUT, CAPTAIN!

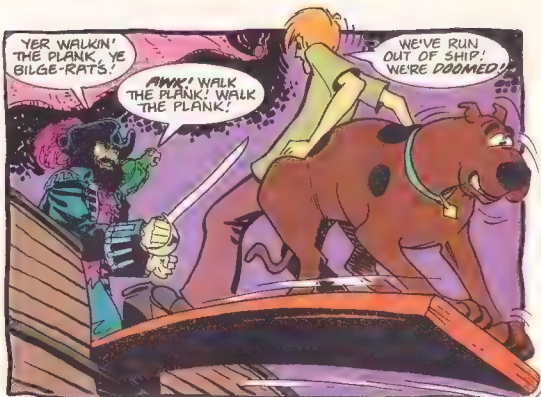
IT'S GOOD
AS SEVERED,
MATE!



YER WALKIN' THE PLANK, YE BILGE-RATS!

AWK! WALK THE PLANK! WALK THE PLANK!

WE'VE RUN OUT OF SHIP! WE'RE DOOMED!



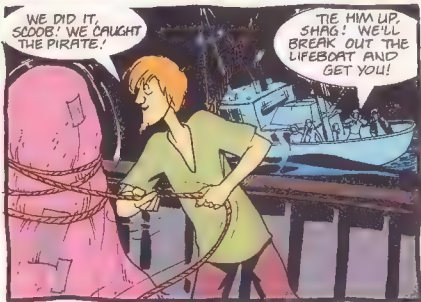
HEY! WHAT'S GOIN' ON HERE?

AWK! LOWER THE MAINSAIL! AWK!



WE DID IT, SCOOB! WE CAUGHT THE PIRATE!

TIE HIM UP, SHAG! WE'LL BREAK OUT THE LIFEBOAT AND GET YOU!

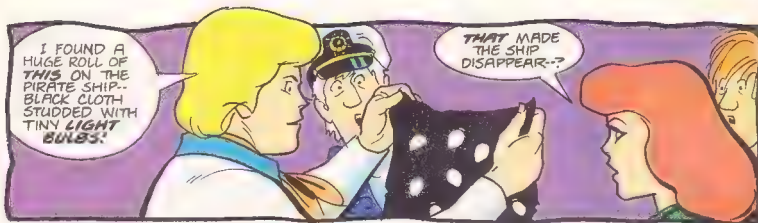


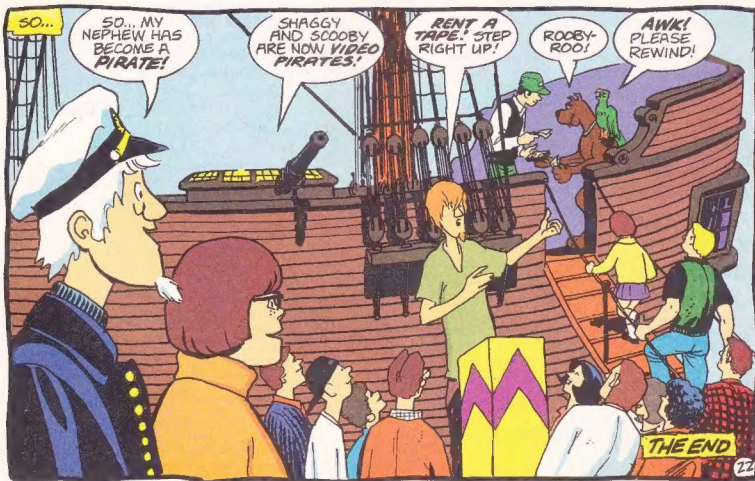
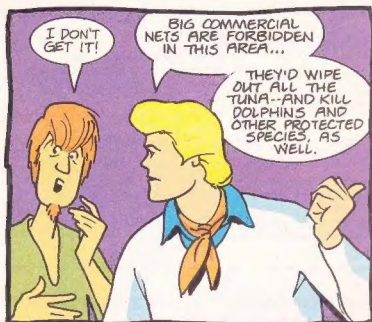
MINUTES LATER...

HE'S NOT A GHOST! HE'S JUST AN OLD SAILOR LIKE ME!

SO HOW DID HE MAKE THAT SHIP OF HIS DISAPPEAR?

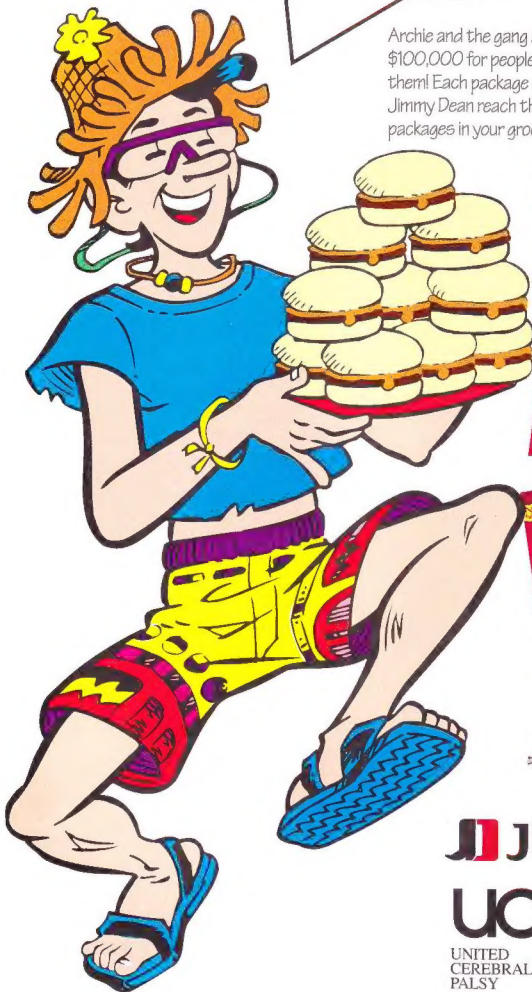






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BREAK TIME!

How many things can you spot in this picture that can be spelled using only the letters B•R•E•A•K?



Hey, when you're finished with these puzzles, give your brain a break and have a

Kit Kat bar.
Crisp wafers
in creamy
chocolate. What's
there to think about?

How many number fives
can you find?

ANSWER:
WE FOUND EIGHT
ARK, BAKER, BAR, BARK,
BEAR, BEAR, EAR, RAKE



KitKat
CRISP WAFERS
IN CHOCOLATE

ANSWER:
WE FOUND EIGHT
ARK, BAKER, BAR, BARK,
BEAR, BEAR, EAR, RAKE